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contracts to be renewed and it's not ...

SENATOR JANSSEN: No.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...the money is not going for...to the people who run the lottery as opposed to prizes, then I'm comfortable with that, Senator, too.

SENATOR JANSSEN: No, it's set in statute where that can go. It was set at twenty-five percent. That is the only portion that we're changing, that payout was at twenty-five percent.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Oh, okay.

SENATOR JANSSEN: We're changing that to eighteen percent with the provision that the dollar amount stays the same for five years.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay. And you've been reassured by the people who run the lottery that none of this money will...that it will all go to prizes and none of it will go to the payment of...

SENATOR JANSSEN: That's right.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...expense contracts?

SENATOR JANSSEN: That's right...

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay.

SENATOR JANSSEN: ...because what they want to do is boost the play.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Right. Okay, thank you.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Uh-huh.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Senator Schrock, please.

SENATOR SCHROCK: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I'd like to ask Senator Janssen a question now.